

LOCAL NEWS.

Large numbers of our citizens attended the funeral of President Lincoln, yesterday. All business in this place was entirely suspended, and the whole city clothed in mourning—Minute guns were fired throughout the day, at the batteries and forts in and around this place, and the bells were tolled at intervals. Everything wore an air of deep sorrow.

We can of course publish only the names of such paroled prisoners as are furnished to us, or as we hear of. If a correspondent who writes to us on the subject will give us any additional names, either of those who have been paroled, or who have been released at Washington or Richmond, we will publish them, as we wish to furnish a full list.

Several paroled prisoners who have arrived here, have been arrested and confined in the Cotton Factory prison on account, it is stated, of informality in the paroles. It is thought that they will be shortly released, as steps have been taken to arrange the matter.

Besides the paroled prisoners of war of the Army of Northern Virginia, already noticed as having returned to this place, the following have arrived within the past two days: Capt. W. D. Stuart, Dr. Wm. Gregory, Robt. Young, J. Thomas, Wm. Murray, Thos. White, Jessie Murray, and Chas. Wise.

The man arrested in Baltimore, and writer of the letter to Booth, signed "Sam," is said to be Samuel Mettram.

A telegram from St. Louis mentions a rumor which was current in Paducah, that General Lyons had surrendered to Gen. Meredith.

H. R. Pollard, late of the Richmond Examiner, advertises that he will issue a new evening paper, to be called the Times.

TO C. W. WATTLES:—You are hereby notified that at the May term of the County Court for the County of Alexandria, an application will be made to have your authority as trustee in a deed from G. W. D. Ramsay and others to you in trust, dated April 3d, 1860, recorded Liber U, No. 3, folio 328, of the records of Alexandria county, revoked.

R. C. SMITH, Executor H. C. SMITH.
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CONGRESSIONAL ELECTION.—The friends of GILBERT S. MINER, have seen with pleasure his announcement as a candidate for Congress from the Seventh Congressional District. They have no doubt, but that he will, as he says, in his Card, "serve his country with energy, and if elected, discharge the duties of a true representative of the people, to the best of his ability, to the advancement of their interests and prosperity. The election is on the fourth Thursday of May.

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A CARD.

The subscriber desires to tender his hearty thanks to the citizens of Alexandria generally, and to his old and regular customers in particular, for the kind and liberal patronage which they have bestowed upon him, during the past ten years, and he would, at the same time cordially solicit for his successors, Messrs. I. SCHWARZ & BROWN, the same amount of encouragement and patronage. As they will, I am confident, in every way endeavor to preserve the reputation of the old stand, No 13, King Street.

[ap 18—3t] H. SCHWARZ.

DAVY & HARMON,

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL

Grocers, Feed and Flour Merchants.

Corner of Prince and Royal Sts.,

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ALEXANDRIA, VA.

SPEECH BY PRESIDENT JOHNSON.—President Johnson delivered a most important speech at Washington, Tuesday, in response to an address made to him on behalf of a delegation of citizens of Illinois, by whom he was called upon. In it he touches upon not only the late assassination of President Lincoln—which all would undoubtedly punish—but also upon what he regarded as the attempted assassination of the nation. He asked, "while we strain our minds to comprehend the enormity of the assassination, shall we allow the nation to be assassinated?"

He urged that treason, being the highest of crime, should be so understood. He declared, however, that he spoke in no spirit of unkindness, and that he should leave the events of the future to be disposed of as they arose. Public morals, he held, should be established upon the sure and infallible principles of justice, but when the question of exercising mercy came before him, it should be considered calmly and judicially, remembering that he was the Executive of the nation. He declared that there should be no doubt left that this high prerogative was not used to relieve a few at the expense of the many. He would make no professions and no pledges as to his future course.

FORT SUMTER.

Pursuant to orders by the Government the U. S. national flag was duly raised on Fort Sumter on Friday, the 14th instant, in the presence of several thousand persons.

Among those present representing the navy were Admiral Dahlgren, Fleet Captain Bradford, Com. Stephen C. Rowan, Fleet Engineer Demby, Paymaster Watmough, Judge Advocate Cawley, Lieut. Com. Matthew, and over 200 naval officers in full uniform. The army was represented by General Gilmore, Major Gen. Anderson, Adjutant Gen. Townsend, Gen. Dix, Judge Advocate Holt, and many others. Among the civilians present were Judge Swayne, of the U. S. Supreme Court; Hon. Mr. Kelley of Pennsylvania; and Wm. Lloyd Garrison.

The ceremonies of the occasion were commenced with the singing of a song and chorus, entitled, "Victory as Last!" which was given with great fervor, the audience joining in the chorus. Prayer was then offered by the Rev. Matthew Harris, chaplain of the United States Army, being the same divine who offered prayer at the raising of the flag on Fort Sumter, when Major Anderson removed his command from Fort Moultrie to Fort Sumter, December 27, 1860. Then followed the reading of selections from the Psalms by Rev. R. S. Storrs, D. D., and the people alternately.

Major Anderson's dispatch to the government, dated "Steamship Baltic, off Sandy Hook, April 18th, 1861," announcing the fall of Fort Sumter, was then read by Brevet Brigadier General E. D. Townsend, Assistant Adjutant General of the United States Army.

The raising of the old flag by Major-General Anderson was the next act in the programme, and when he stepped forward on the platform, the burst of joy was uncontrollable.

COMMISSIONER'S SALE OF HOUSE AND LOT.

Under authority of a decree of the County Court of Alexandria County, rendered at November term, 1864, in the case of Hellrigle vs. Veitch and others, the undersigned Commissioner, appointed for the purpose, will offer for sale, by auction, in front of the premises, on Monday, the 8th day of May, 1865, a TWO-STORY BRICK HOUSE and LOT OF GROUND, in the city of Alexandria, situated on the west side of Water street, about 113 feet north of Gibbon street, and on the North side of an alley 10 feet wide, running from Water to Fairfax street. The lot fronts on Water street 24 feet, and extends back 87 feet 5 inches.

Terms—Cash. If the terms be not complied with, the property to be resold at the risk and expense of the defaulting purchaser on ten days' notice by advertisement in any newspaper published in Alexandria.

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R. JOHNSTON.

LIBERTY HALL!

CAMERON STREET, ALEXANDRIA, VA.

ON MONDAY EVE'G. APRIL 24.
Grand Vocal & Instrumental Concert,
GIVEN BY

MONS. ALEXANDRE WOLOWSKI,
Pianist and Composer, Member of principal
Philharmonic Societies, &c., assisted by
MADAME GOMEZ DE WOLOWSKA,
Prima Donna of the Italian Opera,
MISS MARY E. WHEELER,
MISS SARDIUS P. SANDERSON,
MASTER SEYMOUR REYMAN.

Mons. Alexandre Wolowski, Pianist and Conductor.
Mr. Henry C. Clarke, Manager.

The magnificent Piano Forte used on the occasion was manufactured by Steinway & Sons, and kindly loaned by Metzgerott, Washington.

Admission—Orchestra and Balcony Seats, \$1.25; Parquette 75 cts.

Tickets to be had in advance at E. S. Fleming's jewelry store, No. 86, King street, L. B. Stone's bookstore, No. 104, King street, and Schwarzenburg's jewelry store, No. 148, King street.

Doors open at a quarter past 7. Concert commence at 8 o'clock precisely.

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To Eliza Jane Deming and William H. Dulaney:

PLEASE to take notice that on the first day of the May term, 1865, of the Fairfax County Court, I shall move the said Court to appoint a new trustee, in the place of W. H. Dulaney, trustee, under a deed of trust from Chester Deming and Eliza J. Deming to said W. H. Dulaney, bearing date on the 8th day of September, 1858 and recorded in Book A, No. 4, page 328 of the Fairfax county Land Records;—said deed having been made to secure the payment of certain bonds due Volney Orton, now held by me.

JULIUS MORSE,

ap 13—law4w Assignee of VOLNEY ORTON.

NOTICE.

All persons indebted to the estate of THOMAS COWLING deceased, are hereby requested to settle the same with the undersigned at their earliest convenience.

All persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present the same, with proper vouchers therefor, to the undersigned, for settlement.

STEPHEN G. COWLING, { Executor and
MARY COWLING, { Executrix of
Thos. Cowling,
Dec'd.

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NOTICE.—The subscribers having taken out letters testamentary on the will of JAMES ROACH, late of Alexandria county, Va., dec'd, all persons indebted to his estate will please make payment to them, and all persons having claims against it will please present them, duly authenticated.

April 3, 1865.

MARY C. ROACH, { Executrix and
JAMES ROACH, { Executor of Jas.
Roach, deceased.

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NOTICE.

The undersigned having been duly elected Assessors for the Corporation of Alexandria, Va., hereby give notice that they will commence their duties as such, on Monday, the 24th day of April, 1865. It is expected that those interested will be prepared to give a correct statement of their property, real and personal, as required by law.

J. C. CLARK, } Assessors.
W. F. GRIMES, }

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LOST.—FIVE DOLLARS REWARD.—On Saturday morning a GOLD BREAST PIN, with six small white sets, supposed to have been lost in the Market House. A reward of five dollars will be paid for its return to this office.

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LEWIS' PURE WHITE LEAD.—A full supply just received at reduced prices; also, Lard, Pure Sperm, Machine, Kerosene, Neetsfoot and Whale Oils, Window Glass, Putty, Paints of all kinds, Copal and other Varnishes, all of which are offered at the lowest market rates.

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HENRY COOK,
39 and 224, King street.